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SPREAD OF ENGLISH.

Every Nation Under the Sun Learns the English Language.

An English missionary, in his description of religious work in West Africa, "Nine Years at the Gold Coast," tella how his national pride was once gratified by the remark of a German missionary.

At Cape Coast, English was so generally spoken that the missionary did not think it worth while to acquire a knowledge of Fanti, the vernacular of the negroes. Subsequently, he saw his mistake, and expressed regret to a German missionary that he had permitted his many occupations to prevent him from studying the native language.

"And what need," replied the German, " have you English to learn a forman, "have you English to learn a for-eign language, when you make every him his dinner, and somehow he's stay-Hood's Pills are the only pills to take The German, who spoke ten years ago, had observed what English colonization and commerce were then doing to repair the linguistic breaches begun understand, an' his appetite is jest at Babel. Since then, a dialect, whose awful." basis is English, has come into use wherever Englishmen and Americans have located as traders. Even in Paris restaurants, the American girl, on try- repeated assurances that berrying on them to add to their incomes by the the garcon, "Will madame please speak

English? I speak it."

His Body Racked From Head to Foot With to put temptation under the nose of who wish to do so may join the short Rheumatic and Neuralgie Pains-Would hired help. Twas the principle she courses and special classes. It is hopfering Again.

From the Post, Lindsay, Ont. It is the lot of but a limited number of people to enjoy the confidence of such an exceedingly large circle of come on a visit to her brother Si's, II A MII friends and comrades as does Capt. John A. Brokenshire, who was recently interviewed by a Post reporter at the home of his parents at Rosedale a Sharp had been great chums till Betsy That Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure pretty hamlet situated at the head of moved away to the city, where 'twas Balsam river in Victoria county, where the elder Mr. Brokenshire, who has "heft" of the harvest was on an' the "heft" of the harvest was on an' the Aikens' Case Shows the Truth of the the past twenty-two years. Capt. line to smart up, to put the past twenty-two years. Capt. line to smart up, to put the past twenty-two years. Capt. line to smart up, to put the past twenty-two years. Capt. Brokenshire, the subject of this article, is 34 years of age, is well-known and standby black silk dress, and a bit of highly respected throughout many of new green ribbon in the button-hole. the leading cities and towns of Ontario, where, during his seven years service in Salvation Army work he let her best haircloth chairs be carhas come in contact with a large num- ried out on the piazza, unprecedented ber of people. He has been stationed concessions, which were subjects of at Toronto, Montreal, Peterboro, Ottawa, Morrisburg and minor places, and at one time was a member of a travelling S. A. string band. The Betsy Jane's—she couldn't call her anything else—account of her trip to following is Capt. Brokenshire's anything else—account of her trip to the fair and the big things she saw three years ago, he was attacked by slightly troubled with rheumatic pains for several years, and had to give up the Army work on different occasions on account of my trouble.

When stationed in Morrisburg four years ago, I became completely unfitted for work, as I suffered terribly with pains in the back of my neck, down my shoulders and arms and the back of my head to my toes. I could not bend my head forward if I got the whole of Canada to do so, and when in bed the only slight rest I got shoulders, thus letting my head hang backward. I could not get up, but had to roll or twist myself out of bed. neuralgia and rheumatism combined, not understand anything." which he said had gone through my whole system. He prescribed for me, but the medicine gave me no relief. I tried various other remedies but they were of no avail. Believing my case

sixth I could go to bed and enjoy a plentifully filled with raisins, and good night's rest, such as I had not then, as a little side dish, are the varidone for years. I never at any time colored eggs that all good Russians enjoyed better health than I am doing are expected to eat with salt that has I at present. Since my recovery I have been purified by roasting. The eveninduced several friends to take Pink ing meal is composed of great dishes of Pills for various troubles, and in each sausages and immense joints of roastcase they have effected cures.

to the above facts at any time. NOT CRIPPLES INTELLECTUALLY.

If necessary I would make an affidavit

Two of the most famous living Scotsmen are cripples-Lord Kelvin, who is the greatest living Scottish scientist, to waxinate her. She's old enough now and Dr. James Macgregor of Edinburgh to have something done to her. who is said to be the greatest living Scottish preacher.

Pa, what is a scheme? I can't define it, my son; but it is something that thought she was the light of his life. will fall through quicker than any- Jollydog-So she was, but she went thing else on earth. 

THE WIDOW SHARP'S MISTAKE.

He was a big, unwieldy fellow with a German cast of features and a big German name, Fritz something-untranslatable. He came along one April day when the widow was making her garden, and to use her own health and happiness. Without good words, was "jest drove in a thousand pieces," and asked for something to

"There's a pile of wood," said the work for my rations."

"Well, sir," the widow would say necessary for the best success in life. with a vicious snap of her false teeth. Hood's Sarsaparilla ed on. Yes," confidentially, "he's very well, as such tools go, but he's got his habits, an' there's things he won't

Sunday did not come under the ban sale of fruit, flowers, vegetables, dering a dinner, has been answered by of the fourth commandment, and her Natives are often perplexed when tony. When, in plain words, she told wick, and an institution will be opened Englishmen try to speak their lanhim that there was no need of eating of the care of the so much, and added example to pre- especially for the work. It will be diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitu-Spanish, as they thought, for cigars. cept, he only grinned at her tantaliz- founded for the definite purpose of en-The Spanish salesman appeared bewil- ingly over the square of pie he was abling women over the average age of flamed condition of the mucous lining of the dered for a moment, and then replied hoisting to his mouth on the blade of the average of the state of the st in excellent English, "If you please, his knife. The widow's pies had a reputation for excellence, as, unfortungentlemen, we do not speak German putation for excellence, as, unfortunFlowers and fruit growing, and packtaken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, bearing will be destroyed forever; ately, had everything eatable the ing for market, especially bush fruit, condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; widow prepared. In the widow's cel-tomatoes, mushrooms, etc., bee and which is nothing but an inflamed condition of lar, there was a large, green cupboard poultry keeping, dairy work. The the mucous surfaces, A THRILLING EXPERIENCE. | lar, there was a large, green cupboard partitioned off in apartments, in Council of Reading College have conwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she kept her "cooked things" | Carbolic Disinfectants, Soaps, Ointwhich she carbolic Disinfec which she kept her "cooked things" sented to provide the necessary courses of which she always carried in her pocket. "Not." she would explain, "that partitioned of Reading College have consumed to Reading College have consequenced by Reading College have consequenced b A STORY TOLD BY A WELL-KNOWN which she always carried in her pocket. "Not," she would explain, "that place of residence for women stushe cared a mite for the victuals, but dents. The full course of instruction 'twas flyin' in the face o' Providence will extend over two years, but those

she would fail to remember the main year.

thing for Fritz, his rations. Betsy Jane Frink, that was, had called herself now, and the widow

The tea party was a success. Si's

peddler?" gasped the widow Sharp. of a stinging muscular nature from ting the cupboard down on the piazza, what I used nor which of our doctors

wanted the key to get his supper. was with a large pillow under my ped the widow, in anything but mild many dollars in my endeavors to rethen she declared that the only mis- expectation of receiving any benefit as my spine seemed to be affected. My take she ever made was to hire one from them.

medical adviser pronounced my trouble of "them tramp furiners, who would "I tried them, however, and soon

This really happened.

RUSSIAN ROAST PIG.

to be hopeless I determined to start here to their strictly national dishes. did this for me." for my home in Rosedale, but the jar- In the morning their breakfast conagony I was compelled to abandon the broth, composed of the fermented juice six boxes \$2.50 or sent, on receipt of up for three weeks, when I finally of beet root, sour cream, boiled cabprice, by The Dodds Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto. made a herculean effort and reached bage and meat bouillon. This ex- Limited, Toronto. home. As my mother says, "I looked traordinary mixture tastes much betlike an old man of 90 years of age ter than it reads, and after the quantwhen she saw me struggling with the ity necessary to appeare the appetite aid of two heavy canes to walk from is consumed in the morning an enor- And do you also paint? the carriage to the house." At home I mous punch bowl is filled with the received every possible attention and soup and stands upon a side table dur- that accomplishment. all the treatments that kind friends ing the day. In all well regulated Russuggested, but I was constantly going sian households there is also found SALVATION TO SUFFERERS FROM from bad to worse. In January, 1886, upon the same table a roasted pig, after many months of untold agony, dressed with boiled buckwheat, or kas-I determined to try Dr. Williams' Pink che, as it is called, mingled with the All those suffering from Catarrh,

though before I got through with the There is also the koulische, a cake Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont. ed veal, which, together with the The above is a voluntary and correct black bread peculiar to the country, is statement of the facts of my case and I eagerly devoured and washed down trust that many others may by reading with plentiful libations of koumiss and

this, receive the blessing that I have. vodka. DOLLY NEEDED SOMETHING. Ethel-Ma, I want some water to christen my doll.

Ethel's Ma-No, dear, it is wrong, you know. Ethel-Well, then I want some war

THE LIGHT THAT FAILED. Pollywog-What's the trouble between Van Clove and his wife? I out too much.

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WOMEN AS SMALL FARMERS. An important experiment will shor :ly be made in England with the object of forming settlements of women in dif-Among the things the stolid Fritz ferent parts of the country for the culwouldn't understand were the widow's tivation of the land, and thus enabling poultry eggs, honey, etc. The idea mortal than ever. daily dissertations on the sin of glut- was started by the Countess of War-

Very often when invited out to tea tion and board will not exceed £50 a

Claim That Dodd's Kidney Pills are the TORONTO CUTTING SCHOOL, Only Cure for this Disease. Hamilton, Jan. 9 .- One of the most

popular of Hamilton's hotel clerks, is Mr. C. E. Aikens, of the Commercial Hotel. Mr. Aikens' duties are onerous and heavy throughout the year, and a man

there. She even forgot to grumble three years ago, he was attacked by about the drouth and the low prices. Bright's Disease-a disease which many The Dawson Commission Co., Limited, "What's that coming up the road?" physicians claim is incurable. asked Sarah Vosler, whose quick eyes Mr. Aikens found a cure, however.

focused everything. "Taint a pack And so important does he rightly deem beddler?"

his recovery, that he has given the following statement regarding it, for publication, in the hope that other suf
try. I have spent 40 years' study on this distressing habit. Come and satisfy yourselves. No risk. W. K. BATE, Specialist, 392 Coilege St., Toronto. It was. The imperturable Fritz ferers from Bright's Disease will be

by signs and gestures and imperfect what I used, nor which of our doctors English, made her understand that he treated me. I had suffered, with Bright's Disease, for two years, and "Take it home this minute!" snap- had tried many remedies and wasted accents, and very red in the face. She gain my health. When I was advised alluded to the incident but once, and to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, I had no

had reason to be thankful that I did. Before I had taken a dozen doses I felt a change for the better, and the improvement continued steadily until now I am as strong and healthy as

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> THE MAILED VOICE. Constance-What lovely embroidery!

Violet - No, dear. I often envy you

CATARRH.

Pills, having read so much in the news- liver, heart and other edible adjuncts Bronchitis, Irritable Throat, &c., and papers of the great benefits received of the animal. This pig is especially who wish for an absolute cure, send by others from their use. To make sure raised and killed for Christmas day, to the undersigned for sample bottle of of getting the genuine article I sent direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. at Brockville, for the Pills After takat Brockville, for the Pills. After taking two boxes I noticed a slight improvement in my condition which gave me some encouragement and I kept on until I had taken twelve boxes, altered to the points.

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> A CHOICE SEAT. Theatre-Goer looking over diagramwill take this seat. Box-keeper - One of the pillars is directly in front of that seat, sir. Theater-Goer-So I observed. I pre-

block, theatheare first door west of the

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fer a pillar to'a high hat.

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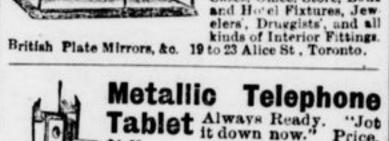
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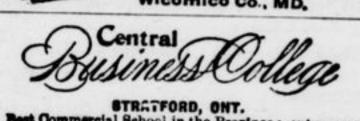
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